

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Intl. App. No. :	<b>PCT/JP2005/005350</b>
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For :	<b>Inactive Ca<sup>2+</sup>/Calmodulin-Dependent Protein Kinase II<math>\alpha</math> Knockin Animal and Knockin Cell of the Same</b>
Examiner :	<b>Unknown</b>
Group Art Unit :	<b>Unknown</b>

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Preliminary to examination on the merits and calculation of filing fees, please amend the above captioned US National Phase application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.